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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Shigeru Kamei et al.
Title: SUSTAINED-RELEASE PREPARATION
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a five-month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make timely the Continuation Application filed simultaneously.

The extension fee for response within the fifth month is \$2,350.00.

A credit card payment form for this amount is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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